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Amendment No. 1 to SB1687

<u>Gresham</u> Signature of Sponsor

AMEND Senate Bill No. 1687*

House Bill No. 1755

by deleting all language after the enacting clause and substituting instead the following:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 49, Chapter 6, Part 60, is amended by adding the following language as a new section:

Beginning with the 2016-2017 school year, the state board of education shall approve appropriate computer science courses that every candidate for a full high school diploma may enroll in and complete to satisfy the elective focus requirement for graduation. As used in this section, "computer science courses" shall include, but not be limited to, software engineering, computer programming, computer graphics and design, and computer-aided design.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring